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In re application of

Paul H. Patterson *et al.*

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for an extension of three (3) months, from February 6, 2003 to May 6, 2003, within which to respond to the outstanding office action dated November 6, 2002. A check in the amount of \$465 is enclosed herewith to cover the extension fee.

Although Applicants do not believe any additional fees are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Order No. A-65182-1/RFT/NBC).

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